



MA Expert Panel on End of Life Care

Meeting #3

AGENDA

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Governor

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Lieutenant Governor

Date: Monday, June 29, 2009

Time: 5:30 p.m. – 8 p.m.

Place: Department of Public Health, 250 Washington St,
Boston, MA, Public Health Council Room, 2nd Floor

1. Welcome and Updates (30 min)
 - a. Expert panel URL and additions to site since June 8
<http://www.mass.gov/healthcare/expertpanel>
 - b. Outline of today's meeting
 - c. Road-map to Oct. 31 & vehicles for implementing recommendations
2. Data Presentation (25 min)
 - a. Variation in Use of Hospital Inpatient resources in End of Life care in Massachusetts:
John Cai, Ph.D- Massachusetts Division of Health Care Finance and Policy
3. Workgroup break-outs (1 hr. 15 min)
 - a. Framework for workgroups and supportive information
 - b. Break-out time
4. Report-back and wrap-up (20 min)
 - a. Group discussion
 - b. Planning between now and Meeting #4
 - c. Meeting #5- set date

*The next MA Expert Panel on EOL Care meeting is scheduled for Monday, Sep. 9, 2009,
5:30 p.m. – 8 p.m. at the Department of Public Health, 250 Washington St,
Boston, MA, Public Health Council Room, 2nd Floor*